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**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE**  
**CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS**

To the Honorable Commissioner  
of Patents and Trademarks  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS  
mailed December 7, 2001, enclosed herewith are substitute drawings in compliance  
with 37 CFR 1.84, correcting the drawing informalities. A copy of the Notice is also  
enclosed herewith.

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## NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS

*Filing Date Granted*

This application has been accorded an Application Number and Filing Date. The application, however, is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a)

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
  - drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(g)). Each sheet must include a top margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. (5/8 inch), and a bottom margin of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch);

*A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the reply.*

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I hereby certify that this Response to Notice to File Corrected Application Papers is being deposited on the date noted below, with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.

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